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FAMOUS ARTIST DEDICATES BOOK TO FLAGSTAFF SON

George H. Hamilton, of the astronomical staff at Lowell observatory, is just in receipt of a very handsome book from London in which he takes especial pride.

For one thing, the book is dedicated to him. The author is his father J. McLeure Hamilton, the celebrated American portrait painter, who takes this way of showing his love for the son whose brilliant work he so carefully followed in the great English universities and whose brilliant scientific career he has since kept closely in touch with.

The volume is a crown 4to. The title is "Men I Have Painted," and the illustrations, 48 in number, are photographic reproductions of the artist's portraits. Among them are the present king, George the Fifth; Mr. Gladstone, Bismarck, Mr. Asquith, Mrs. Asquith, Arthur James Balfour, Cardinal Manning, John Tyndall, Herbert Spencer, Lord Leighton, George Meredith, Onslow Ford, Edward M. House (ex-president Wilson's mentor), Cosmo Monkhouse, Henri Rochefort, Richard Vaux, General Booth, Joseph Pennell, Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, Lord Halsbury, G. F. Watts, Rev. Stephen Gladstone, Henry E. Gladstone, Canon Amour, Lord Halifax, Walter Tynedale, Sir Archibald Geikie, Sir Henry Irving, D. Croal Thomson, Cyrus K. Curtis, Wm. G. C. Gladstone, "brilliant heir to an illustrious grandfather," who was killed during the war, and others.

The foreword to the book was written by Gladstone's daughter, Mrs. Drew. A celebrated reviewer says of the book:

"Mr. McLeure Hamilton is well known on both sides of the Atlantic as an artist and raconteur. His specialty is portraits, and probably he has painted more portraits of celebrated people than any other artist of his time. He has painted the king, whom he found very sympathetic; Bismarck, whom he found rather violent; Lord Bright, Sir Henry Irving, Mr. Asquith and "Margot," Lord Halifax, Mr. Gladstone and other members of the Gladstone family; General Booth, George Meredith, Mr. Balfour, Dr. Weir Mitchell, Colonel House, Joseph Pennell and a number of other distinguished Americans. Mr. Hamilton seems soon to have got into intimate terms with many of his subjects, and he here writes charmingly about them, a selection of between forty and fifty. In the case of each sitter a portrait is given, and the book makes its appeal both as a work of art and as one of delightful causeries."

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE CELEBRATION

There appears to be some misunderstanding as to the intent and purpose of the Community Christmas tree to be held Christmas night, Sunday, December 25 at 6 o'clock p. m.

In the first place it is not going to be a charity affair, but an enthusiastic gathering of all, rich and poor to celebrate the birth of the Saviour. Presents of candy will be made to the children and choral songs will be sung by all. The Woman's club, which is directing the affair, wish it understood that every one is especially invited to help in the singing and in carrying out the program of the evening.

There will be no soliciting for funds to carry out the big plan, but every one is expected to do his part in a great big, out door meeting.

The words of the choral songs will be printed next week in The Sun and it is hoped that they will be memorized by all in order they may join in the big chorus. Miss Mary Costigan has kindly given the use of the Orpheum theatre for a few rehearsals by the children and vocal teachers of the different schools have volunteered their services to assist in the good work.

The Woman's club wishes it distinctly understood that this is a community affair for all—rich or poor and is in no way connected with the charitable work being done by the social circle and lodges in looking after those in need.

The ladies earnestly desire that everybody take part in this big meeting and make it an enthusiastic get-together affair.

ROTARY CLUB ENJOY A GOOD SHORT PROGRAM

The Rotary club luncheon Tuesday noon was a real good meeting of glad-handers with a number of visitors present. President Fred Lusk advised that arrangements were being made for permanent quarters in the dining room of the Weatherford hotel, which would have to be put in shape by the club. This was practically decided upon by the directors at their meeting the evening before. An assessment will have to be made to cover the expense.

Glenn Bright as chairman of the day had a neat program including short talks by Henderson Stockton, Earl F. Drake, both of Phoenix and postmaster Heisser.

The luncheon was served by Nick, the famous White House chef, and his assistants. He was voted a good provider by the gang.

Miss Katherine Beckwith of the Normal furnished the instrumental music for the day's performance.

The day, hour and place for the next meeting will be the same.

MOTHER OF ALEX. LAWSON DIES IN LOUISIANA

Alexander Lawson of Flagstaff suffered a sad bereavement in the death of his mother, Mrs. Mary Lang Lawson, at Welsh, La., on November 14, aged nearly 87.

Mrs. Lawson was born in Scotland, coming to this country in 1856, and being married to Robert McChristy Lawson at Polo, Ill., in 1865. The Rice Belt Journal, of her home town, printed a long account of her unselfish christian life, saying that "it was always an inspiration to look into her saintly face, which made one feel the ever nearness to God of those who constantly trust Him." Besides Mr. Lawson, there are four other surviving children, two daughters and a son in Louisiana and a daughter in California.

CRAIG HUNG ON TO FLAMING GASOLINE

Lewis Craig, manager of the vegetable department at Babbitt's, who with Mrs. Craig also runs the Mansion house, built a fire in the stove at the Mansion House Saturday morning, and by mistake used gasoline instead of kerosene. In the excitement he spilled some of the gasoline on his hand which was burned severely, especially as he refused to let go of the can until he had taken it out doors where he was sure there was no danger of setting anything afire. It took a lot of nerve to hang on, but he says he's perfectly well satisfied with the outcome even if it did hurt some.

COCONINO COUNTY FARMERS FORM BIG STOCK CORPORATION

The Coconino county farm bureau met Saturday at the armory and transacted business of a far-reaching nature. Many prominent men and women addressed the farmers on various topics. A. F. Grinnell of the First National bank spoke on the co-operation of the farmers and bankers. He argued that if potatoes were in a warehouse on the railroad the bank could loan money on the potatoes, but if they were stored in a cellar miles from the road, the cellar had as well be empty so far as a bank loan is concerned. He urged the farmers to put some of their capital in a licensed warehouse, receipts of United States licensed warehouse being good collateral for loans from the banks.

Miss Bouton, home demonstrator, again discussed the home, how to make it more comfortable. She placed special stress on the necessity for cleanliness in the home and surroundings, in order to conserve the health of the inmates. She urged the farmers to build permanent homes and surround them with trees to make them more attractive.

Mr. Jones, assistant forest supervisor of Albuquerque, discussed methods of securing roads and trails in national forests. He explained the necessity for listing only good land for farming purposes. He declared that all farm land in the national forest had already been so designated, but that he would recommend re-classification when shown that land should be considered agricultural land.

C. M. Archer of the Standard Oil company, discussed farming with gasoline and oil, and told the farmers they would receive better distribution of oil products as the need arose.

M. I. Powers of the Arizona Central bank discussed finance and farming. He urged co-operative marketing as the only means by which farmers will ever get anywhere. He argued that the farmer had ridden the old hobby of "individualism" longer than any other group of people, hence the difficulty of organizing the farmers. He showed conclusively that the banks will be solid for the farmers when the farmers allow them to be; when the farmers make themselves responsible so that the banks can secure its loans.

He explained the war finance corporation act which can help the farmers if they have their produce properly stored. The reason banks are slow to trust farmers is—too many farmers don't know how to farm.

C. B. Wilson explained senate bill No. 109 and house bill No. 164. He showed why a business corporation must have capital stock. It is impossible to receive credit without responsibility. A public corporation as contemplated in senate bill No. 109 is not expected to do marketing.

Miss Alice V. Joyce, state leader of home economics, urged better homes (Continued on Page Thirteen)

EVERETT MYERS AND MISS NELMA BLACK MARRIED

Everett Myers and Miss Nelma C. Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Black, were married last week at Williams by Rev. O. L. Engheart in the presence of Mrs. Engheart and E. H. Duffield. Both young people have the best wishes of almost too many friends to count.

FRANK L. PENDLEY TAKES UNTO HIMSELF A BRIDE

Frank L. Pendley, whose ranch is near the bridge at Oak Creek and Miss Jean Hutchinson, also of Oak Creek, were married here last week by justice of the peace R. J. Kidd. The many friends that Frank call his own will be pleased to learn that the bride he won is a charming and capable young woman.

GENERAL DIAZ HERE SHORT TIME TUESDAY

General Armando Diaz and staff passed through here Tuesday afternoon on No. 23 on their way to New Orleans from Grand Canyon. A crowd of several hundred were at the station to greet the celebrated commander-in-chief of the Italian armies, who did so much to smash Austria.

Charlie Heisser, commander of the local post of the American Legion, boarded the private car of the party and induced the general to show himself on the observation platform. He made no speech, perhaps because he is as modest as he is brave, perhaps because he speaks English but very little and that brokenly.

The general asked Mr. Heisser if this was Flagstaff. Charlie told him this was Flagstaff in Coconino Sun (no, Charlie said county, we believe) and the general pointed to one of his aides whom he said was a son from Coconino, Italy. He asked Charlie if there were any Italian children in the crowd and was told that Joe LaScala of the Sun and his brother Frank of Babbitt's garage were the only two Italian boys here.

Which has inflated Joe so much that he has sent the general the October 4 special edition of the Sun containing his picture.

A young woman, one of Flagstaff's teachers, also boarded the private car, at the invitation of one of the aides, and shook hands all around, even with Mr. Heisser, whom she probably mistook for the American brigadier general accompanying the party.

General Diaz paid particular attention to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lindblom's young son, Walter Jr., whom he tried to get to come up and shake hands with him, but the young man, not grown up to the opportunity he was missing, vehemently shook his head.

General Diaz is one of the representatives of Italy at the limitations conference in Washington. He and his party had been at Grand Canyon.

TOM SLATTERY RETIRES FROM PLUMBING BUSINESS

Wilson & Coffin and Samsky Brothers together bought Tom Slattery's plumbing supplies and tools last week, dividing them up between their two shops. Mr. and Mrs. Slattery will go to San Francisco soon, and may remain for several weeks, but have no intention of making any other place than Flagstaff their permanent home, though Tom will not reengage in the plumbing business.

COUNTY WILL GIVE MARSHAL FOCH A NAVAJO RUG MONDAY

Marshal Foch, commander in chief of the allied armies in the world war, will visit Grand Canyon on Monday and will pass through here about ten o'clock Monday night. It is doubtful if Flagstaff people will have the privilege of seeing the marshal, as he has been having a busy time of it on his tour and it is thought he will have retired before the special American Legion train on which he is the principal guest on the big loop across America and back reaches here.

The special train, which leaves Los Angeles Sunday afternoon, will reach Grand Canyon early Monday afternoon, and leave there just after dark.

Rev. Fr. C. Vabre has been delegated as the representative of Flagstaff and Coconino county to extend greetings to the famous Frenchman and will present to him a handsome big Navajo rug, the gift of Flagstaff and the county. The rug is now on display at the curio department at Babbitt's.

Secretary of state Ernest R. Hall, representing the governor and adjutant-general Walter S. Ingalls and major McKinley as staff officers, will represent the state at Grand Canyon.

J. D. McCULLEY NAMED SUPT.

J. D. McCulley trainmaster at San Bernardino, has been named as division superintendent of this division of the Santa Fe with headquarters at Winslow, to take the place of Supt. Mathie who was recently killed near Congress Junction.

Mr. McCulley is well known to old timers on this division where he worked some ten years or more ago as chief dispatcher, and will be welcomed back as chief here.

It is reported that the places of Jack Jaeger, assistant division engineer, and H. C. Storey, assistant division superintendent at Prescott will not be filled.

HARLOW WILSON HERE

Harlow Wilson, of Upland, Calif., at whose home Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wilson of this city are spending a few weeks, was in Flagstaff for a couple of days this week attending the trial of the Donohue-Babbitt case. He returned to California on Wednesday.

ELMER JONES WILL MOVE TO CALIFORNIA SOON

D. E. Jones of the Herald is intending to leave in the near future, accompanied by his family, for California, where they may locate.—Snowflake Herald.

WHERE DID YOU COME HERE FROM

Were you born in Arizona? It was not so many years ago that one could travel all day, asking every person he met the above question, without finding a person who could answer in the affirmative.

It is doubtful, even now, whether if the native sons of each of the states of the union were to form organizations, the society of the native sons of Arizona would be as large as the societies representing some of the other states. It certainly wouldn't be if membership were limited to those who have reached the age of 21.

Back in 1898, according to the "great register" of the voters in Coconino county, of the 1,600 voters registered only seven were born in Arizona. They were E. R. Geddes, Manuel Lopez, C. F. Lopez, Fernando Pirades, Robert Postle, Chas. A. Smith, Alva Smith. Seven out of 1,600, or four tenths of one per cent.

Let's see where the rest of the voters were born:

New York was the native state of the largest number, claiming 155. Missouri came next with 119. Illinois followed with 111, then Ohio with 106. The other states having native sons here, and the number sent forth by each, were:

Michigan, 79.
New Mexico, 67.
Pennsylvania, 64.
Indiana, 59.
Texas, 56.
California, 53.
Iowa, 42.
Utah, 38.
Kansas, 36.
Kentucky, 31.
Tennessee, 31.
Wisconsin, 29.
Virginia, 27.
Arkansas, 24.
Maine, 23.
Massachusetts, 23.
Alabama, 16.
Colorado, 12.
Vermont, 12.
North Carolina, 11.
Minnesota, 10.
Nevada, 10.
Louisiana, 9.
Georgia, 7.
Nebraska, 7.
Maryland, 8.
New Jersey, 6.
Oregon, 5.
Mississippi, 4.
Dakota, 3.
Indian Territory, 3.
New Hampshire, 3.
While Connecticut, Idaho, Rhode Island, and South Carolina sent us two (Continued on Page Fourteen)

ELKS WILL HONOR DEPARTED BROTHERS AT ORPHEUM SUNDAY

All citizens and all visitors in the city are cordially invited to attend the Elks' Memorial exercises at the Orpheum theatre, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The program:
March—"Maestoso"—Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Waters.
Ritual work—Members.
Prayer—Acting Chaplain Geo. M. Neher.

Quartette (Selected)—Messrs. Frank J. Hanley, Elmer Jackson, John W. Fuss, Ernell M. Stevens.
Ritual work—Members.
Vocal solo—"There Is No Death"—Miss Ilomay Bailey.

Address—C. B. Wilson.
Violin solo—"Berceuse" from Jocelyn—(Godard)—Mrs. I. R. Waters.
Eulogy—Frank Harrison.

Vocal solo (Selected)—Miss Ilomay Bailey.
"Auld Lang Syne"—Members and Audience.

Ritual work—Members.
"Star Spangled Banner"—Members and Audience.

Prayer—Acting Chaplain Geo. M. Neher.

There will be no admission charge. The Elks hold these memorial services on the first Sunday in December or each year in memory of their departed brothers. The members of Flagstaff lodge No. 499 who have passed to the great beyond and in respect of whom the exercises next Sunday will be held are: Edgar A. Brown, Harry P. Cullinan, Michael J. Kennedy, Lyman H. Tolfree, James A. Vail, Clarkson M. Funston, Dennis J. Brannen, John M. Dahoney, John B. Jones, William Sanderson, Benjamin F. Alsap, George H. Kruse, Jacob C. Blake, P. E. R.; Arthur W. Jurden, Frank A. Doherty, Charles M. Brooks, Julius C. Meyers, Walter F. Jagger, Hugh D. Campbell, Edward M. Doe, Ray R. Eddy, P. E. R.; Avery V. Francis, Leo F. Verkamp, Jerome J. Cooley, Eben F. Greenlaw, Charles F. Babcock, Chas. F. Meimberg. No members or the local lodge have died during the last twelve months.

The committee in charge of the memorial services are Geo. H. Myers, chairman; Clyde J. Hunnicutt, Wm. B. Raubdaugh, Henry L. Albers, Albert C. Fair.

BUSY IN THE WOODS

George Fisher was in on Wednesday proving up his homestead, located up in the Kendrick park section. He says the Saginaw & Manistee Lumber Co. camp No. 17 up there is working full speed under charge of Fred Reno, with more than a hundred men in the woods and three trainloads a day of logs going to the mill.

DONOHUE-BABBITT CASE MAY END TOMORROW

The Donohue-Babbitt case is still being heard, though there is a chance that it will be ended this week. The trial began on the 21st of last month and the jury was finally sworn in on the 25th. Up to press time the witnessed examined were as follows: W. H. Switzer, J. M. Clark, Charles Prochnow, Miss Irene Bart, Tom L. Rees, Wm. Babbitt, David Babbitt, Will Marlar, Ed McGonigle, P. J. Moran, S. L. Finley, Mrs. George L. Barnes, Dan J. Cronin, Wm. F. Griffin, J. J. Donohue, H. S. Wilson, James Loy, Edgar Whipple, Wm. Mullen, Tom Slattery.

The jurors are: Robert E. Franey, C. H. Hinds, Wm. Burdick, S. V. Hunter, D. D. Still, Charles H. Diehl, Charles Smith, J. W. Simpson, W. L. Lindblom, F. J. Stein, I. W. Francis, J. B. Lowry.

Plaintiff's counsel are A. H. Stockton and Earl F. Drake of Phoenix; James Loy of Prescott, George W. Harben and Frank M. Gold of Flagstaff, and the defendant's attorneys, Robert Kramer and J. Early Craig of Phoenix.

DR. J. C. O'CONNELL DEAD

Word was recently received of the death of Dr. J. C. O'Connell, a dentist, a resident of Flagstaff, at his old home in Louisiana. He had been ill for several years of tuberculosis and came here for his health, afterwards moving to Phoenix. He made many warm friends during his stay here, who will regret to learn of his death.

POOR OF FLAGSTAFF WILL BE CARED FOR CHRISTMAS

Christmas giving to the poor will be carried out along the same systematic lines this year as last. Each of the several lodges and other organizations will appoint a member to a central committee, which will solicit funds and useful gifts and distribute the gifts contributed and others bought with the funds collected. Last year, the first time this plan was tried out here, it succeeded admirably and a great deal of good was done. Truant officer J. D. Jackson, who did such fine work on the committee last year, was reappointed as the representative of the Elks' lodge and will compile a list of the needy.

An impression is current, it is reported, that part of the money collected is used to buy toys and candy. This was not true last year and will not be true this year. Some of the merchants last year gave some toys to the committee, which distributed them. But no money was spent except for food and clothing and, in a few instances, fuel.

HEAD TOOK HEADER INTO 40-FOOT WELL

Jesse Head, a young man working for Carl H. Hinds, the Red Lake rancher, in some way took a header into the 40-foot well on the Hinds place on Monday and thought he was able to tie a rope around him when it was lowered, as soon as he was pulled to the surface he lost consciousness and did not come to for a couple of hours.

The water in the well was level with his head and if he had lost consciousness as soon as he struck bottom he possibly would have drowned before he could have been rescued. No bones were broken and he's all right now. Mr. Hinds, his employer, is on the Donohue-Babbitt jury this week.

HEARING FOR INCREASED EXPRESS RATES POSTPONED

On the application of the petitioner, the interstate commerce commission has postponed from December 5 to December 8 the hearing in the matter of the application of the express company for increased rates within Arizona.

This is the case in which the commission denied the application for increased rates and which was then carried to the interstate commerce commission. The increases prayed for amount to more than \$200,000.00 a year.

DEPUTY CAMPBELL TO TENNESSEE FOR DARKEY

Deputy sheriff C. Y. Campbell of Williams left this week for Phoenix, to get extradition papers and then will go to Nashville, Tenn., after a colored man who sold his employer's automobile to Charlie Button, of Williams. The darkey had the bill of sale of the Los Angeles owner of the car, given him to show in case he was held up on the road. Button paid the owner a little additional on the car after he found it was stolen, thus keeping clear his title to the buzz wagon.

BATTERY SHOOTS

One section of Flagstaff Battery "D" was taken to the new range south of town last Sunday by captain Clarence T. Pulliam and lieutenant Francis A. Chisholm and given target practice with shrapnel. Some very accurate firing resulted. The boys will probably go out there some Saturday night soon and camp until Sunday night, taking along the "kitchen."

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COL. HANIGAN URGES BETTER SUPPORT FOR BATTERY "D"

Phoenix, November 25th, 1921.
The Editor,
Coconino Sun,
Flagstaff, Arizona.

My dear Colonel Breen: The good citizens of Flagstaff have supported so well Battery "D", 158th Field Artillery, I have no hesitancy in asking additional help from them.

We have in your city a completely equipped battery. This equipment includes everything required by regulations for a battery of Field Artillery to take the field for actual campaign, except additional horses which will be immediately supplied if the Battery should be called into service. In time of peace only thirty two horses are issued for training purposes. A greater number would be an unnecessary expense to the government.

No battery in the United States Army has a better equipment than the battery at Flagstaff. The personnel of this battery must be trained. The battery has good officers capable of giving the enlisted personnel the training required by existing regulations. I have recently made the necessary inquiry into the ability of the officers, and I know that they are able to instruct the enlisted men of their command. But they cannot instruct the enlisted personnel unless this personnel present themselves at the Armory on the designated nights for instructions.

For some months the drill attendance has been very poor. This should not be. The men must attend the drills, otherwise the battery ceases to be of military value. Regulations require all enlisted men to attend at least one drill each week. If fifty per cent of the officers and sixty per cent of the enlisted men are not present at any drill, the officers do not receive any pay. The enlisted man receives pay if he attends sixty per cent of the authorized drills in a month. The officers of your battery have been giving their time and efforts to make this battery a good one, and have received no pay for their services merely because the enlisted men have failed to attend the drills in sufficient numbers to entitle the officers to pay.

Certainly the good citizens of Flagstaff can change this condition. They can bring the necessary influence to bear on these delinquents to the end that they will in the future attend the drills authorized. I ask you to use your influence among your friends to bring this about.

Very cordially, your friend,
H. A. HANIGAN,
Lieut. Col. Inf. D. O. L., Senior Instructor, Arizona National Guard.

SAYS NAVAJO COPPER CO. TO BE REORGANIZED

Lloyd C. Ashley was in from the Navajo Copper company camp No. 3, at the Gap, and left yesterday for San Francisco, his home, where he will stay until after the first of the year. Jimmie Gallagher is taking charge of things at the Gap in his absence.

Ashley says the "Rip van Winkle attitude of the Navajo Copper company for the last three years is beginning to show signs of renewed activity." The old company is to be reorganized, he says, and the property will be worked with the most modern and scientific methods. As a forerunner a commissary and trading post is to be opened at the Gap on the Navajo reservation, about 90 miles from Flagstaff, where the copper company owns buildings that were formerly used as a relay camp during the days of tractor transportation.

Ashley is enthusiastic over the prospects of the Edison company developing power on the Colorado river. He says that camp No. 1 of the copper company, located on the Grand Canyon road, is to be abandoned before long, as is also camp No. 2, at the Little Colorado river bridge.

BREAD PRICE DROPS TO TEN CENTS A LOAF

Archie Hogan tells some interesting facts about "Clean Maid" bread in his advertisement on another page of this issue. He is proud of the bread he makes and tells in a convincing way why it is good, and his statements have been backed up by analysis made of his product by chemists of the national association of bakers.

Not the least interesting statement in the advertisement, probably, is that hereafter "Clean Maid" bread will be sold at 10 cents a loaf, without any reduction in size or weight of loaf. No doubt with this reduction his business will grow even faster than it has since he started in his own shop. He is doing a big mail order business and expects before long to have to put his shop on a twenty-four work basis.

MR. AND MRS. TOBE TURPIN LOSE THEIR LITTLE SON

A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Turpin on Thanksgiving day, but died the first of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Turpin came in from their trading post at Shonto a few days ago and are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Lowry. Their many friends here sympathize deeply with them in their bereavement. Jimmie Turpin, Tobe's brother, is at Shonto handling the post while Tobe is here.